	Raw Monazite		Rare Earths Compound	
	Qty. in tonnes	Value (in Rs. lakhs)	Qty. in tonnes	Value (in Rs. lakhs)
1985-86	800	44·43	3793	560·47
1986-87	Nil	Nil	4046	651·58
1987-88	Nil	Nil	3652	658·12

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Does not arise.

Export of toxic wastes

1507. SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that about 50 developing and non-developed countries of the world are trying to conclude negotiations on controlling export of dangerous toxic wastes and to put a complete ban on its export;

(b) if so, the names of such countries who are trying to export this dangerous toxic wastes; and

(c) Government's reaction thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT, ATOMIC ENERGY, ELECTRONICS AND SPACE (SHRI K. R. NARAYANAN): (a) to (c) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Study report on disbursement of funds to Bhopal gas victims

1508. SHRI SURESH PACHOURI: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether a three member team of the International Red Cross Society visited India in September, 1988 to enquire into the alleged irregularities in the disbursement of funds to the Bhopal gas victims;

(b) whether the team had made a study report into the bungling by BTVCT; and

(c) if so, to what extent the bungling was made and to what extent it had affected the gas victims in Bhopal?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) No.

(b) and (c) Does not arise.

Manufacture of Polio vaccine in India

1509. SHRI SURESH PACHOURI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether polio is a serious disease afflicting about 2000 children every year crippling them for life and even after 40 years of independence, polio vaccine is not produced in India;

(b) whether Government have committed indigenous production of polio vaccine in the country by the